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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Sir:

This responds to the Advisory Action mailed January 11, 2006 in connection with the above-identified application.

Applicants submit concurrently herewith: (i) a Request for Continued Examination Under 37 C.F.R. 1.114, with provision for the required fee (in duplicate); and (ii) a Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) for two (2) months with provision for the required fee (in duplicate).

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.